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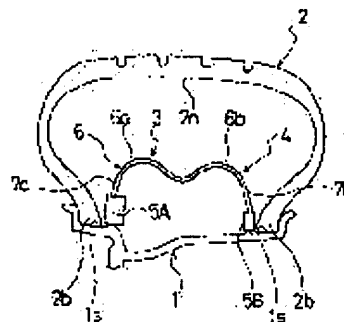
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(54) TIRE/WHEEL ASSEMBLY AND RUN-FLAT SUPPORTER

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a tire/wheel assembly and a run-flat supporter capable of improving durability.

SOLUTION: In the tire/wheel assembly, the run-flat supporter 3, comprising an annular shell 4 having the outer peripheral side as a supporting surface 6 and the inner peripheral side opened in a two-pronged shape, and lateral elastic rings 5A, 5B supporting the opened leg parts 7a, 7b of the two-pronged shape on the rim 1, is arranged in the hollow part of a pneumatic tire 2 mounted to the rim 1. The rigidity of the elastic rings 5A, 5B is made to be varied laterally so as to make the elastic ring 5A on which a high load acts larger in rigidity than the ring 5B.



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